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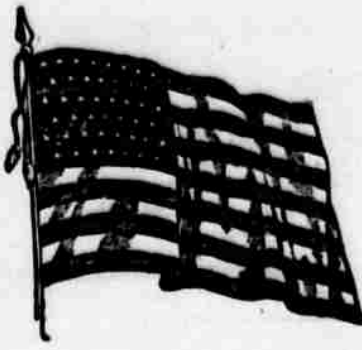
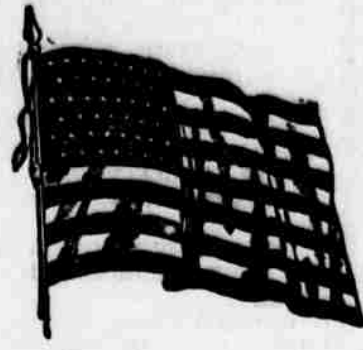
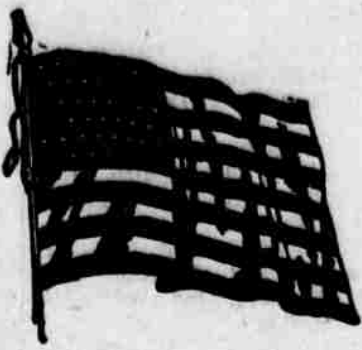
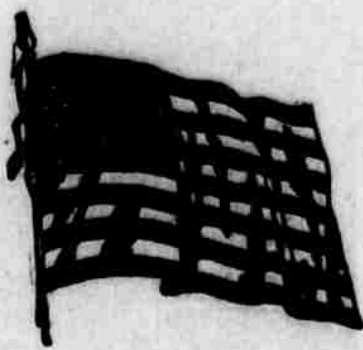
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## A CLEAN SWEEP.

Republican, National, State, County and City Ticket Win Decisive Victory on Tuesday.

Taft's Election Gives Confidence to the Business Men of the Nation.

Hundreds of Thousands of Democrats Cast Their Ballots for the Republican Standard Bearer.

Illinois Rolls Up 180,000 Plurality and Cook County 80,000 Plurality for Taft.

Result Shows Plainly How Sick the People Are of Bryan and His Pals.

William Howard Taft was elected twenty-seventh President of the United States on Tuesday by a plurality in the popular vote of over 1,207,000 votes.

He will have 327 votes in the electoral college to 156 for Bryan.

It was a clean sweep for the Republicans all over. Taft, backed by the business men of the nation and by hundreds of thousands of Democrats who could not swallow Bryan and his populist doctrines, had no trouble in carrying the so-called doubtful states and it was just a plain walkover for him.

Bryan has been up three times, and three times the people have repudiated him.

To see how popular he is with Democrats one has only to look at the returns from the big Democratic strongholds.

The great city of New York, the city the Democrats always look to for record breaking pluralities to offset the big up-state Republican vote, went for Taft.

Just think of it! New York City going for the Republican standard bearer by a plurality of over 15,000.

This alone shows how little the hold Bryan had on Democracy.

William Howard Taft goes into the White House carrying with him the confidence and highest esteem of the American people.

There has never been a better equipped man for the position, and that he will prove equal to the tasks of that great office is the conviction of every intelligent American citizen.

The American people have, as usual, chosen wisely.

Following is Chicago's vote by wards for President:

Ward. Taft, Bryan, Chad, Debs, Rep. Dem. Pro. Soc. Ind. 1 3,464 3,767 54 198 57

As usual the Eagle was on the winner.

And it snowed the next day, which was very appropriate.

The small prohibition vote can easily be explained. The members of that party were so busy voting for Bryan they forgot all about their own candidate.

The Republicans had a walk-over in Cook County, electing every man on the ticket.

With a few exceptions, like William Legner, Joseph E. Flanagan, Cyril R. Jandus, James C. Dooley and some others, the Democratic ticket was the weakest ever put up. It was beaten from the start.

Following are the successful candidates on the county and judicial tickets:

State's Attorney—John E. W. Wayman

Recorder—Abel Davis

Circuit Court Clerk—J. E. Bidwell, Jr.

Superior Court Clerk—Charles W. Vall

Appellate Court Clerk—Alfred R. Porter

Coroner—Peter M. Hoffman

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Wm. H. Weber, Adam Wolf.

Board of Review—Roy O. West

Surveyor—Edgar A. Rosenthal

SANITARY TRUSTEE.

Wallace C. Clark, George W. Paulin,

Paul A. Hazard.

President County Board—Wm. Busse

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

George K. Schmidt, William J. Umbach,

Louis H. Mack, Joseph M. Dennis,

Carl R. Chindblom, Joseph J. Elias,

Walter Schrofda, Oscar R. Hillstrom,

Frank C. Leland, Warren E. Colburn.

MUNICIPAL JUDGES.

Henry C. Bettler, Max Eberhardt,

Charles N. Goodnow, Joseph Z. Uhler,

Hosea W. Wells, Oscar M. Morrison,

Frederick E. Faye, Jr., Sheridan E. Fry,

Hugh R. Stewart.

The county and city Democratic tickets were loaded down with political undesirables, fee grabbers and hungry office seekers. Its defeat was inevitable.



WILLIAM H. TAFT, President-Elect of the United States.

But the pity of it is that such good men as William Legner, Cyril R. Jandus, Joseph E. Flanagan, James C. Dooley and a few others had to be dragged down to defeat by it.

The Eagle is always on the live ones and don't you forget it.

Take your hats off to John J. Hanberg as a prognosticator. Last week, as stated in the Eagle, he predicted that Taft would carry Cook County by 73,750 plurality. He carried it by 73,000 and some odd votes.

Shall the people rule? They do.

Three times and out, and this time to stay out.

It was a real landslide.

And now for the spring elections.

W. J. Bryan has been rebuked by four States which elected Democratic Governors. In Minnesota, Johnson was elected, while the State is overwhelmingly for Taft. In Ohio, Harmon was narrowly elected. The State gave Taft a plurality of 75,000. Indiana elected Marshall (Dem.) Governor and gave Taft a plurality estimated at 18,000. Montana gave Taft a plurality and re-elected Norris, Democrat, Governor.

Taft's probable cabinet, according to close friends of the President-elect, will be as follows:

Secretary of State—Ellhu Root.

Secretary of Treasury—George L. Von Meyer, Myron T. Herrick.

Secretary of War—General H. C. Corbin, General C. R. Edwards.

Secretary of Navy—W. Murray Crane.

Secretary of Commerce and Labor—Wm. P. Hepburn.

Secretary of Agriculture—James Wilson.

Secretary of Interior—John Hayes Hammond, Charles F. Brooker.

Attorney General—Wade H. Ellis, Luke E. Wright.

Postmaster General—Frank H. Hitchcock.

Let us see, how was that laboring vote going?

It was a grand victory.

And Brooklyn went for Taft. Can you beat it?

Every North Side ward went for Taft.

Candidates for city treasurer, city clerk and aldermen, are beginning to crop up.

General satisfaction reigned supreme Wednesday morning.

Democrats from one end of the country to the other are now wearing the smile that won't come off. There's a reason.

Senator Albert J. Hopkins' election on the first ballot is assured.

## DENEEN TRIUMPHS.

The Fearless Governor of Illinois Re-elected by a Good Safe Plurality as Was Expected.

The Knifing and Abuse of Disgruntled Republicans Was of Little Avail.

The Able Governor Had the United Support of the People All Through the State.

His Plurality Ranges from 45,000 to 55,000 According to the Latest Reports.

County and Judicial Tickets Elected by Pluralities of 40,000 to 50,000 Votes.

Charles S. Deneen was re-elected governor of Illinois by a plurality of over 45,000 votes, as the Eagle predicted last week. The fearless chief executive, although abused and knifed by thousands of disgruntled Republican office seekers, had little trouble in being returned a winner.

His election meets with the hearty approval of the people of the state, who don't believe in retiring faithful officials whose only crime is that they have earned the enmity of a pack of repudiated and hungry politicians and office seekers.

The full state ticket elected on Tuesday is as follows:

Governor—Chas. S. Deneen

Lieutenant Governor—John G. Oglesby

Secretary of State—James A. Rose

Auditor—James S. McCullough

Treasurer—Andrew Russell

Attorney General—Wm. H. Stead

Clerk of Supreme Court—J. McCan Davis

University Trustees—

(Full term) Allen F. Moore

(Full term) Henry T. Rainey, Carrollton, Dem.

(Full term) Mrs. L. B. Evans

(Short term) A. P. Grou

For correct predictions, read the Eagle.

Illinois will be represented in the next session of congress by nineteen Republicans and six Democrats, a Republican loss of one. Joseph G. Cannon was re-elected in the Eighteenth district by an increased majority, and this insures his being continued in office as Speaker.

The Republicans lost their one seat in the Eighth district, Chicago, where Kysicki was defeated by Gallagher. Complete returns give Gallagher 1,000 plurality. Chicago's representation in the national house will be seven Republicans and three Democrats. In six districts the Republicans were given big majorities.

Another new face in the delegation will be that of Fred Lundin, who beat Buchanan, Democrat. Lundin succeeds Philip Knopf, who did not seek a re-nomination. The complete Illinois roster follows:

1—Martin B. Madden, Chicago...Rep.

2—James H. Mann, Chicago...Rep.

3—William W. Wilson, Chicago...Rep.

4—Jas. T. McDermott, Chicago...Dem.

5—Adolph J. Sabath, Chicago...Dem.

6—William Lorimer, Chicago...Rep.

7—Fred Lundin, Chicago...Rep.

8—Thos. Gallagher, Chicago...Dem.

9—Henry S. Boutell, Chicago...Rep.

10—Geo. Edmund Foss, Chicago...Rep.

11—Howard M. Snapp, Joliet...Rep.

12—Charles E. Fuller, Belvidere...Rep.

13—Frank O. Lowden, Oregon...Rep.

14—James McKinney, Alton...Rep.

15—George W. Prince, Galesburg...Rep.

16—Joseph V. Graff, Peoria...Rep.

17—John A. Sterling, Bloomington...Rep.

18—Joseph G. Cannon, Danville...Rep.

19—Wm. B. McKinley, Champaign...Rep.

20—Henry T. Rainey, Carrollton...Dem.

21—Jas. M. Graham, Springfield...Dem.

22—W. A. Rodenberg, E. St. Louis...Rep.

23—Martin D. Foster, Olney...Dem.

24—Pleasant T. Chapman, Vienna...Rep.

25—N. B. Thistlewood, Cairo...Rep.

Every man the Eagle supported, with a few exceptions, was elected.

The probable makeup of the Illinois State Senate will be: Republicans, 30; Democrats, 15. In the House the figures will probably stand: Eighty-nine Republicans, 61 Democrats, 3 Prohibitionists. The figures indicate a good majority for Senator Hopkins on joint ballot and assure his re-election.

The new Congress will consist of 200 Republicans and 182 Democrats, and